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For: MULTIBEAM LIGHT SOURCE UNIT,	:	
LASER SCANNING APPARATUS	:	
HAVING THE SAME AND METHOD	:	
FOR ASSEMBLING THE LASER	:	
SCANNING APPARATUS	:	

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.56 and 1.97-1.98, the Applicant herewith transmits the attached Form PTO/SB/08, including copies of the foreign patent documents which were cited in an Official Action received from the Chinese Intellectual Property Office (issue date of March 10, 2006) with respect to related Chinese Patent Application No. 200410082664.3, and which may be deemed material to the examination of the above-identified application. English abstracts are provided as a brief statement of relevance of the foreign patent documents to the above identified application as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98. An abstract of document no. CN 1247991 A is not available. A copy of the Official Action provided by the Chinese Intellectual Property Office is also enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

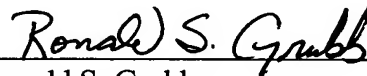
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Since the present Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to issuance of a first office action on the merits, no certification under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) or fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) is believed to be required. However, the Applicant does certify under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1) that each item of information contained in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, the attached Official Action provided by the Chinese Intellectual Property Office, not more than three months prior to the filing of the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. However, should any fees be required, the Director is hereby authorized to charge the fees to Deposit Account No. 18-2220.

The Examiner is requested to consider the attached documents in connection with the above-identified application, and to return a copy of the Form PTO/SB/08 to the Applicant with the Examiner's initials in the spaces provided.

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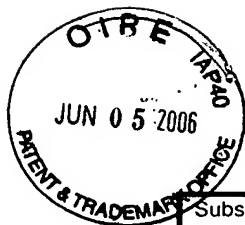
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